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In re Patent Application of

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For: BRAKING FORCE DISTRIBUTION
CONTROL DEVICE

Construction of

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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated October 8, 2002, kindly amend the application identified above in the following manner.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Kindly replace the paragraph beginning at page 37, line 8 with the following paragraph.

-- Namely, the braking torque slope or the driving torque slope may be computed on the basis of time series data of wheel speed which is detected each time a predetermined sampling time elapses (refer to Fig. 1 and the like of JP-A No. 10-114263). --